

**United States Environmental Protection Agency
Region IV
POLLUTION REPORT**

Date: Friday, November 17, 2006

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Subject: Initial POLREP
SM Maple Lease/Rogers Fork Crude Oil Discharge
Pitts, KY
Latitude: 37.7322000
Longitude: -83.8911000

POLREP No.:	1	Site #:	Z4KS
Reporting Period:	11/15-16/2006	D.O. #:	
Start Date:		Response Authority:	OPA
Mob Date:	11/17/2006	Response Type:	Emergency
Demob Date:		NPL Status:	Non NPL
Completion Date:		Incident Category:	Removal Action
CERCLIS ID #:		Contract #	
RCRIS ID #:		Reimbursable Account #	07HR04R0XKS 302D91C Z4KS
FPN#	E07407		

Site Description

Rogers Fork is a small perennial stream located in rural Estill County, Kentucky. On November 15, 2006 KYDEP identified an unknown sheen on the stream and notified EPA through the National Response Center. The State hired a cleanup contractor and initiated containment efforts. On November 16, 2006 DEP notified EPA that the source of the discharge was a bedrock fracture located upstream from the stream. The suspected source of the oil was an abandoned oil well.

OSC Art Smith was dispatched to investigate the source of the discharge and monitor cleanup efforts.

Current Activities

OSC Art Smith coordinated his response with KYDEP. Due to safety considerations, as the fracture flowing oil is in a heavily wooded area with difficult terrain, EPA and DEP agreed to delay further investigation until 11/17/06. Oil containment efforts would be maintained however.

Planned Removal Actions

Planned removal actions have not been identified pending investigation results. Oil containment efforts will be maintained.

Estimated Costs *

	Budgeted	Total To Date	Remaining	% Remaining
Extramural Costs				
Intramural Costs				
Total Site Costs	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	0.00%

* The above accounting of expenditures is an estimate based on figures known to the OSC at the time this report was written. The OSC does not necessarily receive specific figures on final payments made to any contractor(s). Other financial data which the OSC must rely upon may not be entirely up-to-date. The cost accounting provided in this report does not necessarily represent an exact monetary figure which the government may include in any claim for cost recovery.

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